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SUBJ: MULTILATERAL AFFAIRS: MULTILATERAL INFORMATION ON COSTA RICA

REF: A. STATE 159747, B. 76 SAN JOSE 1063, C. 76 STATE 37591

1. RESPONSES REPORTED IN REF B TO QUESTIONS RAISED IN PARAS B-E
OF REFTTEL C STILL APPLY.

2. NEWLY APPOINTED VICE MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS FERNANDO DEL
CASTILLO HAS TOLD EMBASSY THAT COSTA RICA'S MLO OBJECTIVES THIS
YEAR WILL REVOLVE AROUND UNGA AND THAT HUMAN RIGHTS WILL BE
CENTERPIECE. GOCR HAS NOT YET FIRMLY SET SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES AND
STRATEGIES; UN AMBASSADOR SALAZAR NAVARETTE WILL TRAVEL TO SAN
JOSE WEEK OF AUGUST 29 FOR CONSULTATION IN THIS REGARD.

3. ON HUMAN RIGHTS, DEL CASTILLO SAID THAT COSTA RICA'S ACTIVITY
WILL BE GEARED TO PRESIDENT ODUBER'S OCT 20 UNGA ADDRESS, WHICH
WILL HIGHLIGHT HUMAN RIGHTS AND CREATION OF A HIGH UN COMMISSIONER.
FOR TIME BEING COSTA RICA IS NOT ACTIVELY ENGAGED IN PREPARATION
FOR HUMAN RIGHTS AT UNGA.

4. ONLY MLO CANDIDACY IN WHICH COSTA RICA IS INTERESTED IS
PRESIDENCY OF 33RD UNGA FOR FORMIN FACIO. (SAN JOSE 3851). DEL
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CASTILLO SAID THAT COSTA RICO IS TOYING WITH IDEA OF PRESIDENCY
OF 3RD COMMITTEE, BUT DROPPED IT IN FAVOR OF WORKING EXCLUSIVELY
FOR GA PRESIDENCY.

5. ALTHOUGH DEL CASTILLO DID NOT MENTION IT, EMBASSY IS AWARE THAT
COSTA RICA, AS LAST YEAR, WILL CONTINUE TO SUPPORT EFFORTS TO
PREVENT PROLIFERATION OF MEETINGS AWAY FROM MLO HEADQUARTERS

(REF B, PARA A.1).

6. POST MULTILATERAL AFFAIRS OFFICER IS CHIEF OF POLITICAL SECTION
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